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PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

Serial No.: 10/085,730  
Applicant: William F. Nordlin  
Filed: February 28, 2002  
For: **KNOCKOUT PUNCH WITH  
PILOT HOLE LOCATOR**  
Examiner: Phong H. Nguyen  
Art Unit: 3724  
Atty. Docket No.: 913/39548/290

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
DATED FEBRUARY 25, 2005

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of February 25, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on March 25, 2005, kindly amend the above-designated application as follows: